

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

The claim has been amended as follows:

3. A low-noise transformer formed by using an electrical steel sheet for a low-noise transformer according to claim 1 [or 2].
5. A low-noise transformer characterized by inserting viscoelastic layers, at random, in a core formed by using an electrical steel sheet for a low-noise transformer according to claim 1 [or 2].